Thank you for your inquiry. As per the attached, previously notified you on 12 Dec 2016 that NAVINSGEN has closed Case #201601079 and provided guidance on submitting a FOIA request.

V/r,

Office of the Inspector General
Commander, Navy Installations Command (CNIC)

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-----Original Message-----
From: [Non-DoD Source] CNIC I.G. CASE NUMBER 201601079 CASE STATUS INQUIRY (08 Jan 2017)
Sent: Sunday, January 08, 2017 7:22 PM
To: CNIC HQ, N00G
Cc: NAVSTA Newport, N3AT; NAVSTA Newport, N3AT; NAVSTA Newport, N3AT; NAVSTA Newport, N3AT; NAVSTA Newport, N3AT

Subject: [Non-DoD Source] CNIC I.G. CASE NUMBER 201601079 CASE STATUS INQUIRY (08 Jan 2017)

To:

Office of the Inspector General
Commander, Navy Installations Command (CNIC)
Subj: CNIC I.G. CASE NUMBER 201601079 CASE STATUS INQUIRY

Date: January 8, 2017

Ref:
(a) Title 5 U.S.C. § 552

(b) FOIA Request Response to CNIC I.G. Case No. 201601079 dated, 11 Aug 2016

(b) FOIA Request Response - CNIC I.G. Case No. 201601079 dated, 09 Aug 2016

On 11 Aug 2016 you indicated that Navy Inspector General (NAVINSGEN) Case No. 201601079 remained open case and that investigative findings and conclusions had not yet been finalized. As a result the case report could not be released under FOIA until it is closed.

We fully intend to submit a follow-up Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request, to obtain a complete copy of NAVINSGEN Case No. 201601079, so we respectfully request the current status of your investigation.

Collectively, the supervisory police officers at Naval Station (NAVSTA) Newport revealed numerous violations to you, orally and in writing throughout your investigation, which now exceeds six months. It should be noted that you have not solicited any further information at the installation level despite our continued complaints, so absent any further investigatory action on your part there is no logical reason why NAVINSGEN Case No. 201601079 should not be closed.

If by chance NAVINSGEN Case No. 201601079 is still open, we demand the reason(s) why and the current progress status of your investigation. Otherwise, we will be forced to question the competency or impartiality of you as an investigator or conclude that the CNIC Office of Inspector General as a whole is complicit and willfully obstructing our efforts to expose the legal, procedural and ethical wrongdoings occurring within the NAVSTA Newport Police Department.

In closing, thank you again for your time and we look forward to hearing from you soon.

Respectfully,
cc:
Honorable Ray Mabus,
Secretary of the Navy

Congressman David Cicilline
Rhode Island (D) 1st District

Senator Jack Reed
Rhode Island (D)

Congressman James Langevin
Rhode Island (D) 2nd District

Senator Sheldon Whitehouse
Rhode Island (D)

-----Original Message-----
From: [b] (6)
Sent: Thursday, August 11, 2016 7:27
To: [b] (6)
Cc: [b] (6) NAVSTA Newport, N3AT; [b] (6) NAVSTA Newport, N37D; [b] (6) NAVSTA Newport, N3AT; [b] (6) NAVSTA Newport, N3AT; [b] (6) NAVSTA Newport, N3AT
Subject: RE: [Non-DoD Source] FOIA Request - CNIC I.G. Case No. 201601079 Signed By: [b] (6)

Naval Inspector General (NAVINSGEN) Case 201601079 remains an open case at this time and investigative findings and conclusions have not yet been finalized and remain actively in progress at this time. The report is not releasable under FOIA until the case is closed.

To submit a FOIA request please see the guidance provided at the link below. NAVINSGEN is the release authority for case 201601079. http://www.secanav.navy.mil/ig/Pages/FOIA/SubmitFOIARequest.aspx
You can submit the request via:

https://foiaonline.regulations.gov/foia/action/public/home

You also may mail your request to:

Office of the Naval Inspector General
ATTN: Legal Office FOIA Officer
1254 9th Street, S.E.
Building 172
Washington Navy Yard, DC 20374-5006

Please be sure to continue to reference the NAVINSGEN Case Number 201601079 in any future correspondence or requests. I understand your concern and appreciate your continued patience with the investigative process. Please feel free to call me if you wish to discuss.

Thank you.

Office of the Inspector General
Commander, Navy Installations Command (CNIC)

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-----Original Message-----

From: [Non-DoD Source]
Sent: Wednesday, August 10, 2016 9:09 PM
To: Commander, Navy Installations Command (CNIC)
Cc: NAVSTA Newport, N3AT; NAVSTA Newport, N37D; NAVSTA Newport, N3AT; NAVSTA Newport, N3AT; NAVSTA Newport, N3AT
Subject: [Non-DoD Source] FOIA Request - CNIC I.G. Case No. 201601079

To:
Office of the Inspector General
Commander, Navy Installations Command (CNIC)

From:
Naval Station Newport, Rhode Island

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Naval Station Newport, Rhode Island
Subj:
FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT (FOIA) REQUEST CNIC I.G. CASE NUMBER 201601079

Date:
August 9, 2016

Ref:
(a) Title 5 U.S.C. § 552

Pursuant to reference (a), please provide me with any and all copies of the following described records, showing dates, circumstances, investigative findings and dispositions involving:

1. The Joint Supervisory Civilian Employee Complaints submitted by [b] (6), [b] (6), [b] (6), [b] (6), [b] (6), [b] (6), otherwise referred to as the civilian GS-0083 (series) Supervisory Police Officers at the U.S. Naval Station, Newport, Rhode Island to:

   a. DoD Office of Inspector General Hotline Complaint: 20160303-036145

   b. Secretary of the Navy (SECNAV), dated February 18, 2016

   c. Commander, U. S. Fleet Forces Command (COMFLTFORCOM) and Commander, Navy Installations Command (CNIC), dated October 20, 2015

   d. Commander Navy Region Mid-Atlantic (CNRMA), dated September 17, 2015.

   e. Rhode Island Senate and Congressional Representatives: Senator Jack Reed (D-RI), Senator Sheldon Whitehouse (D-RI), Congressman David Cicilline (D) 1st District; and Congressman James Langevin (D) 2nd District.

2. The Joint Supervisory Civilian Employee Reprisal Complaints submitted by [b] (6), [b] (6), [b] (6), [b] (6), [b] (6), otherwise referred to as the civilian GS-0083 (series) Supervisory Police Officers at the U.S. Naval Station, Newport, Rhode Island, to:

   a. Rhode Island Senate and Congressional Representatives: Senator Jack Reed (D-RI), Senator Sheldon Whitehouse (D-RI), Congressman David Cicilline (D) 1st District; and Congressman James Langevin (D) 2nd District, dated March 16, 2016, June 9, 2016 and June 18, 2016,

For the purpose of this request “record” shall include any and all books, papers, documents, notes, recordings, reports, maps, photographs, information, machine readable materials, or other documentary materials, regardless of physical form or characteristics.

The aforementioned were referred to CNIC by the DoD O.I.G., on April 11, 2016. Not only do the complaint(s) persist, there have been no corrective actions taken and none of your investigative findings have been provided to me. If you choose to deny this request, then you are required to respond in writing and state the statutory exception authorizing such withholding of all or part of the information sought and the name and title or position of the person responsible for the denial.

Thank you for your assistance on this matter.

Respectfully,